#### AUCTION SALES.

OMMESIONER'S SALE OF HOUSE AND LOT OF GROUND, -By virtue of a decree of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, rendered on the 5th day of July, 1860, in the chargery cause therein depending, ired, in the chancery cause therein depending, and I the style of Carey & Colcock vs. J. Grigg et als., the undersigned, special commissioner therein usined, will offer for sale at Tublic another, in frest of the Market Bending on Royal street, in the city of Alexandria, Virginis, on ratuk Dary, the 26th day of Kebruary, 1881, at 12 of check m., the Indewing teseribed property, viz: All that LOV OF OROUND with the STOLE HOUSE and BUILDINGS thereon, should be the Northeast corner King and West streets, in said city, and runing back on West street to an alley, being the property conveyed by R. Windsor to Joseph Origg and devised by the said Joseph Grigg to James Grigg.

by R. Wilndsor to Juseph Origg and devised by the said Jeseich Grigg to James Grigg.

Terms of sale: Can hor a sufficient sum to pay the ceeds of said suit and this said, and the sum of forty-four dollars and fourteen cents with interest from the Sin of July, 1880, and the residue in three equal instalments in rix, twelve and evidenced by the bonds of the purchaser, the title to the broperty to be retained until all of the purchase money shall be paid. Conveysheight the cost of the purchaser.

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Commissioner of balo. eighteen months respictively with interest, and

VYALUABLE FISHERY FOR SALE.

Will'be offered for sale at the east front of the Market House, in alexandria, on SATUKDAY, February 12 h. at 12 m., the fishing shore a CHAPMAM's POLLT. This shore, which has been fished profile by for a hundred and thirty years, and is regarded as the best on the river, is about one mile in extint, being the entire water front of the farm of the late Pearson Chapman, and runs back twenty five yards above high water mark; it has access by road to the back country, and is provided with all the appliances of a well appointed shore. The outfit, consisting of senses, both harring and shad, boats, now, &c. is very complete and in good order, and while clished of et private sale.

Terms: One third cash and the remainder in three equal annual installments, bearing interest, and secured on the property. Will'be offered for sale at the east front of the and secured on the property.

J. G. CHAPMAN,
jany2-acts Exx-of J.S. Chapman, aced.

BY VISTUE OF A DEED OF TRUST Is made the firth day of June, 18.7, by Ed ward M. Whits and wife to me in trust to secure to Stephen Dowling and David Dowling the payment of six thousand dollars, with interest from the date of said deed, evidenced by certain negotiable notes described therein, which deed is of record in the office of the Clerk of Prince nogotiable notes described therein, which deed is of record in the office of the Clerk of Prince willism county, default in payment having occurred, in pursuance of directions having ocen given by said Stephen Bewing and David Howing, as send deed of trust prescribes, I will, as trusted, on THUESDEY, the 17th day of February, 1881, at 12 o'clock in, in front of the Harset Bulging, on Royal street, in the city of Alexandria, proceed to self, at public anction, a THACT OF LAND, in Prince William county, Virginia, bordering in part most be Newbook Bun and in part upon Power's Run, and near freestone station, on the Fredericksburg and Potomac R. 10, it being a part of the tract known as HILU, and the same land conveyed by T. Be indertion commissioner to said E. M. Willis, consisting of six hundred and seventy-eight and one half series, more or less and more particularly described in a sid deed of trust. Terms: \$7,500 and sufficient to pay costs and expenses of saic cash; the residue in three equal instancents of one, two and three years, with interest upon the descript psyments from date of saic, secured by negatishe more of the purchaser, with satisfactory endorsement, and deed of trust upon the premises. University at force of purchaser, with satisfactory endorsement, and deed of trust upon the premises. University at forced to the purchaser. The large as in the deferred of trust them the premises. Conveyancing at cost of puschaser. The forms as to the deforced payments subject to such medification as may be desired by said S. of. Wilds no the safe.

W. Wilsonship, and start as a D. Dawing.

SALEUT VALUE OF BUILDIN PAIR FAX COUNTY. Pursuant to a decree re dered at the November term, 1880, of the Circuit Court of Fairfax county in the suit of James Cristie vs. N. Peacock and others, the undersigned, commissioners of sale, on MONDAY, the 21st of February, 1881, (Court day) at 12 o'c ock m., will sell at public suction, before the Court Bruss door of said county, a certain TRACT OF LAND, lying in said county, on the road leading from Lewinsville to Languey, adjuning the lands of Smoot, Peacock and others, known as the "DOW CROLKER" FARM. This farm contains 131 and 81-10) seres; is in a high state of cultivation and improved by a GOOD DWELLING HOUSE and substantial out buildings.
Terms of Sale: Enough case to pay the costs

oughby, And , Lor S. & D. Dowing.

of suit and expenses of sale and the sum of \$774, with interest from the 12th of August, 1874, and the remainder in three equal annual inst liments, secured by the purchaser's bonds bearing interest from the day of sale, and title to be retained till the last payment is made. CASSIUS CARTER, | Comm'rs. ) of Dalo.

R. W. MOORK, Fairfax county jan15-w4w

COMMISSIONERS SALE OF FAIRFAX LAND.

Pursuant to a decree of the November term, 1889, of the Fairfax Circuit Court, proncunced

in the case of Guonell vs. Daily the undersigned, as commissioners of sale, will sell at public sale to the highest bidder, on MONDAY, February 21, 188, at 12 m., in front of the Court House at Farrex Court House, all that TKACT OF LAND belonging to Orlando Gunnell, situated in the county of Farrax adjoining the lands of Charles Elein, D. P. Gunnell and oth-ers, containing 50? ACMES, by the same more or less; said tract oring lot number two, in the division of the "SUGAL GRASS" FARM of the late George W. Gunnell. There is a small DWELLING HOUSE and some good FRUIT TREES on the property.

Terms: One third of the purchase money in

cash on the day of sale, and the residue in three equal payments at six, twelve and eighteen months, the purchaser giving bonds therefor, bearing interest, and the title to be retained until the jurchase money is all poid.
CHAS. P. JANNEY.
FRANCIS L. SMITH.
COMM'ts.

John W. Graham, Auct'r. jan10-w4w RUSTEE'S SALE .- By virtue of a deed of A trust executed by T. M. Manchesier to the undersigned, trustee, dated March 4th, 1858. and recorded in liber 21, folio 294, of the record of deeds of Prince William county, Virginia, I will offer for sale, at public suction, before the front door of the Court House of the said county, on MONDAY, March 7th, 1881, (that being Court day) a VALUABLETEACT OF LAND in said county, containing 100 ACRES, more or less, and lying about 7 miles from the town of Occoquan, adjoining the lands of Finch, Maddox, seed and others. Terms: Useh. jan7-wtd E. G FOED, Trustees,

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### How Teas are Adulterated.

It is pretty generally known that the orthodex teas prepared in the Esst for American and European consumption are adulterated, but comparatively few people are aware of the extent to which this adulteration is carried on, or what substances are used. M. Hussen, a french chemist of note, has made a thorough iovestigation of the subject, and the result of his researches has been laid before the Academy of Sciences. He finds that Prussian bue. inoigo and gypsum, in small quautities, are the principal ingredients employed to impare the "face," or "bloom," to teas, and that in the proportions used they are very innecuous. This adulteration takes place where the plants are raised; but more extensive adulteration is sub sequently indulged in by the Europeans, who, with their superior knowledge, have surpassed the Asiatics in their fraud by the use of still more dangerous drugs, such as chromate of lead and arsenioste of copper. besides making use of comparative innuccious substances. such as sulphate of iron, stearite, car-bonates of lime and magnesia. The Chinese have become most expert in manipulatlawe become most expert in manipulating green teas, which they color with a few simple substances, some of them poisonous—for example, plumbago, Prussian blue, curcums and kaolin. With or without the true leaf of the shrub, they can produce a tea of an desired tint. In order to give the inferior or false leaf the aroma of the test the Celestials mix a quantity of it with our single. Celestials mix a quantity of it with certain flowers, especially a species of olive. In short ac-cording to M. Hussen, no injurious proceeding is omitted in the Celestial empire to palm on the outer barbarian inferior or false teas. In the leading tea-growing districts the government has a corps of insp ctors who are required to see that the goods are dispatched in a pure state. The precaution, however, avails little-for at the shipping ports there is no attempt to prevent the merchants, or brokers, from commencing their fraudulent practices, which they carry on to their hear's content. In spite of their knowledge of the extent to which this adulters. tion is carried on, we presume our people will continue to drink of the cup which is said to

cheer without stealing away a person's brains. The temporary occupant of the chair of natural sciences in a Virginia university, in illustration of his unconquerable faith, said: "I hold this pebble up between my thumb and finger and let it go. It is not gravitation that makes it fall, but God that just pushes it down to the ground."

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